Approved For Release 2008/07/30: CIA-RDP78B04555A000100070056-2 P 290112Z MAR 69 FM NPIC WASHDC TO AIG 7840 BT 25X1 SECRET CITE NPIC 5993. REF: NPIC CPIR 5534 DTG250035Z, SER: F01066, JAN 25X1 INITIAL SCAN BY NPIC OF GIANT SCALE MISSIONS REVEALS AN INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF 25X1 CONSTRUCTION CAMPS/SUPPORT FACILITIES ALONG THE ROUTE 4 AND ROUTE 45 ROAD CONSTRUCTION IN THE NUONG SAI AREA OF LAOS. MOST OF THE SOUTHERNMOST 52 NM OF THE ROAD IS OBSERVED, BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF BAN CHANG PA AT 21-00-28N 101-40-20E (UTM QD774251) TO THE PRESENT CONSTRUCTION TERMINUS AT 20-52-18N 102-03-20E (TJ023103), THIRTY-SIX ACTIVE FACILITIES ARE NOW OBSERVED WITHIN THIS 52 NM SEGMENT, AND AN INCREASE OF 340 NEW BUILDINGS IS OBSERVED, BRINGING THE TOTAL BUILDING COUNT FOR THIS SEGMENT TO 478. TWO OF THE ORIGINAL 17 FACILITIES HAVE BEEN DELETED, SEVEN REMAIN RELATIVELY UNCHANGED, AND EIGHT HAVE INCREASED IN SIZE. THESE FIGURES, COUPLED WITH THE FACILITY AND BUILDING COUNT OBSERVED ON THE REMAINING 15 NM OF ROAD FROM BAN CHANG PA TO THE LAOS/CHINA BORDER (21-11-25N 101-41-17E, QD 790453) ON 13 JANUARY 1969 (REF), RAISES THE TOTAL FACILITY COUNT TO 56 WITH AT LEAST 750 BUILDINGS. APPROXIMATELY 30 VEHICLES ARE OBSERVED ALONG THE 52 NM SEGMENT. DISTRIBUTION CY OFFICE PI FILE CABLE SEC PP&B/RD SECUR. AMS SERIES L 7015 SHEETS 5350 MAP REF: TSSG I II IV, 5351 III, 5450 III. IV. 1ST ED. PSG/OC GP-125X1 RRD SECRET REPRO AID END OF MESSAGE IEG PROD SCIEN WEST EAST M&S PGM IAS 25X1 DIA-XX4 SPAD DIA-AP 25X1 ADVANCE CY SANITIZED TXXT HTIW

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